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**Investigator:** Carmen Madrid

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**Opinion** 

No. 2014 - 119587

Date: 11/7/2014

Complaint Description:

08Q EPCOR

08H Consolidation - In Favor

First:

Last:

ORIGINAL

Complaint By:

**PETITION** 

**PETITION** 

**Account Name:** 

**PETITION - PETITION** 

Home: (000) 000-0000

Street:

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Work: (000) 000-0000

City:

N/A Buckeye

CBR:

State:

AZ **Zip**: 00000

is:

**Utility Company.** 

**EPCOR Sewer \*AAWC** 

Division:

sewer

**Contact Name:** 

Contact Phone:

**Nature of Complaint:** 

\*\*\*\*\*\*PETITION WITH 45 SIGNATURES IN FAVOR OF CONSOLIDATION\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Water Action Committee

To: Arizona Corporation Commission Utilities Division 1200 W. Washington Phoenix, Arizona 85007

RE: Docket # SW-0 I303A-09-0343- EPCOR Wastewater

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Arizona Corporation Commission DOCKETED

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To Whom it May Concern;

Please accept this cover letter and the attached 45 signed form letters from Verrado residents, individual voters, making a strong case in favor of full consolidation of wastewater districts under EPCOR's management. We respectfully request you consider these sentiments and accept these letters be included as part of the docket record, expressing resident support for this issue.

Thank you for your time and assistance with this matter. If you have any questions, please contact me at the email address above or by phone at

On behalf of Verrado Residents, Sincerely,

Michael C. Harris

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Support the Full Consolidation of EPCOR Wastewater Districts

Water Action Committee

To: Arizona Corporation Commission Utilities Division 1200 W. Washington Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Subject: ACC dockets: SW-01303A-09-0343

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To Whom it May Concern;

As a resident of Verrado and EPCOR wastewater customer, I would like to express my support for the full consolidation of EPCOR wastewater districts, and also urge the Commissioners to consider the following points as they consider their final decision.

Simply put, we need relief. Despite the fact that Sun City is ten times the size of Verrado, our residents will pay nearly 80% of the total wastewater revenue that Sun City does after the January increase. Residents in Sun City have valid concerns, but by no means should those concerns eclipse the real crisis created by today's outrageous rates in Agua Frio.

This issue is not just about current customers, but future ones as well. The impact these rates are having to growth in the West Valley cannot be ignored. Agua Frio has the room, the plans, and the capacity to grow. With the massive investment in Loop 303, developers are already turning their eyes westward. Verrado, as we speak, is preparing to add four thousand homes and ratepayers to our community. Growth is a cycle of strength, but proper economic conditions must be in place for growth to take hold. Without those conditions, growth will not materialize.

EPCOR is one company, providing a common service to all of its customers. There are no unique logistical or staffing requirements for Verrado or other Agua Frio customers, yet we bear a disproportionate share of the cost burden, due almost exclusively to reserved capacity for FUTURE customers. Our customer service center is located in the Sun City district. EPCOR is consolidated in all aspects other than pricing, fostering confusion and conflict among customers and communities. One company; one district; one rate.

With these things in mind, I believe that a vote for full consolidation is the only option that will provide fair, stable, and reasonable rates that allow the West Valley to grow. Thank you for your consideration.

- (1) Garry Lemos
- (2) Dwayne & Amanda Robinson
- (3) Megan Botta
- (4) Ed Swaretout
- (5) Ilyssa Swartout
- (6) Dave Elton
- (7) Jerry Hove
- (8) Matt Bigley
- (9) Larry Dial
- (10) Claudette Sawyer
- (11) P. Buchaman

(25) Lea Jones

(26) Patricia Meeker

(27) Marvin Wenfrey

(28) Jack Van Campen

(29) Jodi Van Campen

- (30) Jeff Heald
- (31) Donna Heald
- (32) D. Michael Blue
- (33) Rebecca Blue
- (34) Susan Clarfier
- (35) Jeff Shook

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- (12) Sandy Billiman
- (13) Valerie Firth
- (14) Jay Alsup
- (15) Bill Trubst
- (16) Lawrence F. O'Brien
- (17) Mary O'Brien
- (18) Mike Cramer
- (19) Mark Stewart
- (20) Maureen Schind
- (21) Mark Schind
- (22) Tyler Hayes
- (23) Tamara Hayes
- (24) Colleen Mellor
- \*End of Complaint\*

- (36) Linda Shook
- (37) Bruce & Trina Root
- (38) Nicole Bigham
- (39) Richard sangrado
- (40) Kevin Wildfang
- (41) Roy Rose
- (42) Barbara Rose
- (43) Phil Mendoza
- (44) Mary J. Aldhorn
- (45) Elizabeth Espy

### **Utilities' Response:**

# **Investigator's Comments and Disposition:**

Opinions noted and filed in Docket no. SW-01303A-09-0343 & W-01303A-09-0343. closed \*End of Comments\*

Date Completed: 11/10/2014

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